

TABLE 5-10. TEN LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH, PERCENT OF DEATHS, DEATH RATES, AND AGE-ADJUSTED DEATH RATES BY SEX, CALIFORNIA, 2002 (By Place of Residence)

(Rates are per 100,000 population in specified groups. Age-adjusted rates are calculated using Year 2000 U.S. standard population.)

RANK	CAUSE OF DEATH	ICD CODES (Rev. 10)	TOTAL DEATHS	PERCENT ¹	DEATH RATE	AGE-ADJUSTED RATE
	ALL CAUSES	A00-Y899	233,246	100.0	651.5	732.8
1	DISEASES OF HEART	I00-I09, I11, I13, I20-I51	68,387	29.3	191.0	218.2
2	MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS	C00-C97	53,926	23.1	150.6	169.6
3	CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE	I60-I69	17,551	7.5	49.0	56.3
4	CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY DISEASE	J40-J47	12,643	5.4	35.3	40.7
5	ACCIDENTS	V01-X59, Y85-Y86	9,882	4.2	27.6	28.8
6	INFLUENZA & PNEUMONIA	J10-J18	8,098	3.5	22.6	26.0
7	DIABETES	E10-E14	6,783	2.9	18.9	21.5
8	ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE	G30	5,405	2.3	15.1	17.5
9	CHRONIC LIVER DISEASE & CIRRHOSIS	K70, K73-K74	3,725	1.6	10.4	11.1
10	INTENTIONAL SELF-HARM (Suicide)	U03, X60-X84, Y87.0	3,210	1.4	9.0	9.4
	ALL OTHER CAUSES	(Residual)	43,636	18.7		
MALES:						
	ALL CAUSES	A00-Y899	116,768	100.0	649.3	867.1
1	DISEASES OF HEART	I00-I09, I11, I13, I20-I51	33,955	29.1	188.8	265.9
2	MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS	C00-C97	27,459	23.5	152.7	201.5
3	CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE	I60-I69	7,043	6.0	39.2	57.0
4	ACCIDENTS	V01-X59, Y85-Y86	6,634	5.7	36.9	40.0
5	CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY DISEASE	J40-J47	5,879	5.0	32.7	46.7
6	INFLUENZA & PNEUMONIA	J10-J18	3,697	3.2	20.6	31.3
7	DIABETES	E10-E14	3,307	2.8	18.4	24.4
8	INTENTIONAL SELF-HARM (Suicide)	U03, X60-X84, Y87.0	2,500	2.1	13.9	15.3
9	CHRONIC LIVER DISEASE & CIRRHOSIS	K70, K73-K74	2,458	2.1	13.7	15.3
10	ASSAULT (Homicide)	U01-U02, X85-Y09, Y87.1	2,041	1.7	11.3	11.2
	ALL OTHER CAUSES	(Residual)	21,795	18.7		
FEMALES:						
	ALL CAUSES	A00-Y899	116,478	100.0	653.7	626.2
1	DISEASES OF HEART	I00-I09, I11, I13, I20-I51	34,432	29.6	193.2	180.5
2	MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS	C00-C97	26,467	22.7	148.5	148.4
3	CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE	I60-I69	10,508	9.0	59.0	55.3
4	CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY DISEASE	J40-J47	6,764	5.8	38.0	37.0
5	INFLUENZA & PNEUMONIA	J10-J18	4,401	3.8	24.7	22.7
6	ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE	G30	3,725	3.2	20.9	18.9
7	DIABETES	E10-E14	3,476	3.0	19.5	19.3
8	ACCIDENTS	V01-X59, Y85-Y86	3,248	2.8	18.2	18.1
9	HYPERTENSION	I10, I12	1,419	1.2	8.0	7.4
10	CHRONIC LIVER DISEASE & CIRRHOSIS	K70, K73-K74	1,267	1.1	7.1	7.2
	ALL OTHER CAUSES	(Residual)	20,771	17.8		

¹ Percents are rounded independently and may not add up to totals.

Source: State of California, Department of Health Services, Death Records.
State of California, Department of Finance, 2002 Population: 1997-2040 Population Projections by Age, Sex, and Race/Ethnic Detail, December 1998.